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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of THREE (3) months to respond to the Office Action mailed on APRIL 26, 2004.

Because of this extension the time period for response will expire on OCTOBER 26, 2004. Filed herewith is an RCE.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 14-1270 in the amount of \$930.00; the fee for this extension; and charge any additional fees except for the Issue Fee, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

Respectfully submitted,

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